

In your opinion, was the project description, purpose, and need for the project adequately explained? If not, what additional information is needed?

I-282-001

Why don't you bury  
the line?

Why are the engineers against  
bury line?

Even if it is costly over the  
time it will be more friendly.  
The Public the ones going to  
live with it not you. We  
might as well pay for it being buried  
and out of sight now.

Please tell us how to reach you.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Public participation for the Federal, Minnesota, and Wisconsin permitting processes will be ongoing for the Hampton- Rochester- La Crosse 345 kV Transmission Project. If you sign up for the mailing list, you will be notified when opportunities to participate are being planned.

Please plan to continue your involvement in the process and provide your comments. We appreciate your input.

I-282-001

Your comment has been noted. Alternatives to the project will be addressed in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement.

**I-282-002**

Your comment has been noted. Potential impacts to land use will be addressed in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement.

If you own property in one of the proposed corridors, please indicate all the existing uses of your property below:

☒ Agriculture      ☒ Residential      ☐ Conservation Easement  
☐ Commercial      ☐ Industrial      ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any special uses or circumstances on your property that should be considered when assessing the Project. Please indicate the location of your property.

I-282-002

When I want to sell a few lots  
later on we won't be able to  
build under power lines right?  
Just a dead zone strip of hardly  
any vegetation, forever!

In your opinion, what are the most sensitive resources (biological, cultural, recreational, ect.) in the Project area and why?

Looking at a line out my  
front of home instead of trees.  
And listening to the hum.  
It's not why I moved and bought  
property 20 yrs ago.  
Other wise I'd stay closer to  
town + people.

## COMMENT FORM

Public Scoping Meetings

We need your input. Please take a few minutes to provide your comments or questions for the USDA RUS Federal Environmental Impact Statement process and return your completed form today or mail by June 29, 2009. Your comments help in the planning and implementation of the project. **Thank you.**

Completing this form will automatically add you to our mailing list. If you prefer to not be on the mailing list, please check the box below.

☐ I do not wish to be on the project mailing list

Which meeting did you attend? 6-24-09 Centerville, WI.

Please check the following issues that are important to you for transmission line siting.

- ☐ Project Purpose and Need
- ☒ Visual / Aesthetic resources
- ☒ Proximity to residences
- ☐ Land use (agriculture, residential, recreation)
- ☐ Water resources (floodplains, river crossings)
- ☐ Biological resources (wildlife habitat, raptors)
- ☐ Historic and cultural sites
- ☒ Radio or television interference
- ☒ Noise
- ☐ Health and safety
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

What additional key issues should be addressed when assessing the potential impacts of this project?

I-282-003

Burying the line to keep it  
out of sight

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Your comment has been noted. Alternatives to the project will be addressed in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement.